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Title: "CONTROL SYSTEM FOR ADJUSTABLE PEDAL ASSEMBLY"

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**TERMINAL DISCLAIMER UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.321(c)**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Petitioner, Dura Global Technologies, Inc., having a principal place of business at 2791 Research Drive, Rochester Hills, Michigan, 48309-3575, represents that it is the assignee of the entire interest in patent application number 10/026,499, filed December 19, 2001, for "CONTROL SYSTEM FOR ADJUSTABLE CONTROL PEDAL" and patent application number 09/492,636, filed January 27, 2000, for "CONTROL SYSTEM FOR ADJUSTABLE CONTROL PEDAL", now patent number 6,352,007, as indicated by the assignment records of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 011628 /Frame 0588.

Petitioner hereby disclaims, except as provided below, the terminal part of the statutory term of any patent granted on the above-identified patent application number 10/026,499, which would extend beyond the expiration date of the full statutory term defined in 35 U.S.C. 154 to 156, and 173, as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer, of patent number 6,352,007 which issued from patent application number 09/492,636. Petitioner hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the above-identified patent application number 10/026,499 shall be

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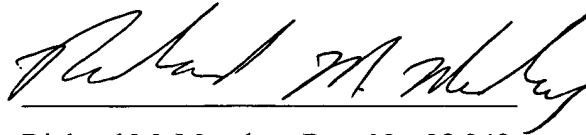
The undersigned is an attorney of record in patent application number 10/026,499 and is empowered to sign this Terminal Disclaimer on behalf of Petitioner.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made herein on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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Respectfully submitted,  
DURA GLOBAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

November 18, 2002

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard M. Mescher", written over a horizontal line.

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